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Via ECF

Hon. John P. Cronan  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007

Re: *United States v. Oscar Rios*, 20Cr673

Dear Judge Cronan:

I am CJA appointed counsel for Mr. Oscar Rios and submit this letter with the consent of the Government to seek an adjournment of our change of plea hearing scheduled for tomorrow, September 22<sup>nd</sup> at 11:30 am. This adjournment is necessary, as I am out of the District attending to my father who recently experienced a medical emergency. I have consulted with the Government regarding this application and the follow are mutually convenient dates for the parties to proceed:

October 5<sup>th</sup> (morning); October 6<sup>th</sup>; October 7<sup>th</sup> (morning) and  
October 12<sup>th</sup> (morning), and October 14<sup>th</sup> (morning)

Thank you in advance for any and all consideration of this application. We will await further instructions from the Court on this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

*A. James Bell*  
A James Bell, Esq.

Cc: All counsel, by ECF

This request is granted. Defendant  
Oscar Rios's plea hearing is adjourned  
to October 6, 2021, at 10:00 am.

SO ORDERED.

Date: September 21, 2021

New York, New York

  
JOHN P. CRONAN  
United States District Judge